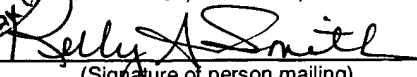


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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Eric B. Grossman, :

Nandan P. Koppiker and Steven B. Leichter

APPLICATION NO.: 10/731,905 : Examiner: Raymond J. Henley III

FILING DATE: December 10, 2003 : Group Art Unit: 1614

TITLE: TREATMENT OF NEUROPATHY :

Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**REQUEST TO CORRECT INVENTORSHIP UNDER RULE 1.48(a), 1.48(b) and 1.48(c)**

Applicants respectfully request under 37 CFR 1.48(a) that inventorship of the above-identified patent application be corrected to delete the following individual as a joint inventor.

**INVENTOR:** Eric B. Grossman  
Residence: Hastings-on-Hudson, NY  
Citizenship: US  
Address: 6 Hastings Landing, Hastings-on-Hudson, NY 10706

Applicants respectfully request under 37 CFR 1.48(b) that inventorship of the above-identified patent application be corrected to delete the following individual as a joint inventor. Steven B. Leichter's invention is no longer being claimed in the nonprovisional application identified above by virtue of the amendment submitted herewith.

**INVENTOR:** Steven B. Leichter  
Residence: Cataula, GA  
Citizenship: US  
Address: 145 Harris Road, Cataula, GA 31804

Applicants respectfully request under 37 CFR 1.48(c) that inventorship of the above-identified patent application be corrected to include the following individual as a joint inventor. The addition of Eliot R. Forster as an inventor to the above-identified patent application is

necessitated by amendment of the claims, i.e. addition of claims 17-34 which were added by preliminary amendment with the filing of the instant application.

**INVENTOR:** Eliot R. Forster

Residence: Sandwich, Kent

Citizenship: UK

Address: Ramsgate Road, Sandwich, Kent, CT13 9NJ, United Kingdom

Please charge any fees (e.g. 37 CFR 1.17(i)) which may be required for these above inventorship changes.

A favorable ruling on this request is respectfully requested. If a telephone conference would be of assistance, please contact the below signed attorney at (860)441-4904.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: 12/14/2004

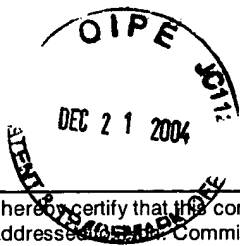


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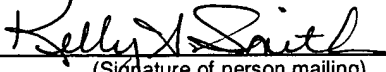
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Sir:

**STATEMENT OF ERIC B. GROSSMAN**  
**RE: DELETION OF ERIC B. GROSSMAN AS INVENTOR**

I, Eric B. Grossman was named in error as an inventor on the above-identified application.

I, Eric B. Grossman submit that the error in inventorship occurred without deceptive intent on my part.

Date:

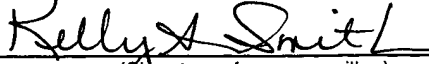
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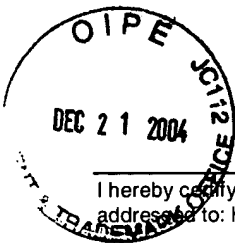
**STATEMENT OF ELIOT R. FORSTER**  
**RE: ADDITION OF ELIOT R. FORSTER AS INVENTOR**

I, Eliot R. Forster, was not named as an inventor on the above-identified application. The addition of my name as an inventor for the above-identified application is necessitated by the amendment of the claims and the inventorship error occurred without deceptive intent on my part.

Date:

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Eliot R. Forster



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**CONSENT OF ASSIGNEE TO CORRECTION OF INVENTORSHIP**

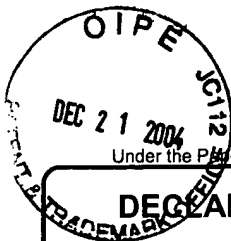
Pfizer Inc., being sole owner of the above-identified application as evidenced by the Assignments filed on or about February 26, 2001, on or about November 2, 2004 and on or about December 14, 2004, hereby consents to the change of inventorship in the above-identified application from the joint inventorship of Eric B. Grossman, Steven B. Leichter and Nandan P. Koppiker to the joint inventorship of Nandan P. Koppiker and Eliot R. Forster.

Pfizer Inc.

Date: 14 December 2004

By: Gregg O. Benson  
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<b>Title of Invention</b>	<b>TREATMENT OF NEUROPATHY</b>
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As the below named inventor(s), I/we declare that:

This declaration is directed to:

☐ The attached application, or

☒ Application No. 10/731,905, filed on December 10, 2003,

☐ as amended on \_\_\_\_\_ (if applicable);

I/we believe that I/we am/are the original and first inventor(s) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought;

I/we have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified application, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above;

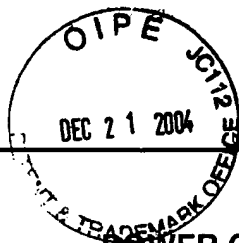
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<b>FULL NAME OF INVENTOR(S)</b>	
Inventor one: <u>Nandan P. Koppiker</u>	<u>25.11.04</u>
Signature: <u>[Signature]</u>	Citizen of: <u>IN GB</u>
Inventor two: <u>Elliot R. Forster</u>	
Signature: <u>[Signature]</u>	Citizen of: <u>GB</u>
Inventor three: _____	
Signature: _____	Citizen of: _____
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First Named Inventor	Nandan P. Koppiker
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*Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).***SIGNATURE of Applicant or Assignee of Record**

Name

Elliott R. Forster

Signature

Date

24 Nov 04

NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below\*.

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